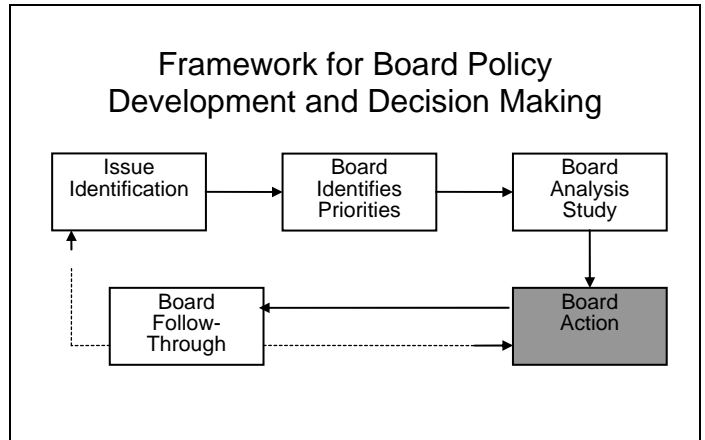


Iowa State Board of Education

Executive Summary

November 14, 2007



Agenda Item: Chapter 21 rules, Community Colleges (Adopt)

Iowa Goal: (3) Iowans will pursue higher education that results in an improved quality of life supported by better economic opportunities through high skill employment.

Equity Impact Statement: All community colleges are governed by these rules.

Presenter: None (Consent Agenda Item)

Attachments: 1

Recommendation: It is recommended that the State Board amend this chapter.

Background: Senate File 358, 2007 Iowa Acts, established prelicensing and continuing education requirements for used motor vehicle dealers. The legislation amended provisions in Iowa Code chapter 322, the primary regulatory for which lies with the department of transportation. One sentence of the legislation did direct the department of education to “adopt rules establishing reasonable fees to be charged for the prelicensing education courses and the continuing education courses.” This rule complies with that directive in Senate File 358 by setting a maximum fee.

Public hearing was held regarding this amendment on September 7, 2007. No public comments were received. The language to be adopted is identical to the language as published on notice.

EDUCATION DEPARTMENT[281]

Adopted and Filed

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code section 256.7(5), the State Board of Education amends Chapter 21, “Community Colleges,” Iowa Administrative Code.

2007 Iowa Acts, Senate File 358, established prelicensing and continuing education requirements for used motor vehicle dealers. The legislation amended provisions in Iowa Code chapter 322. The primary regulatory authority for Iowa Code chapter 322 resides with the Department of Transportation. However, one sentence in Senate File 358 directed the Department of Education to “adopt rules establishing reasonable fees to be charged for the prelicensing education courses and the continuing education courses.” This amendment complies with the directive contained in 2007 Iowa Acts, Senate File 358, by setting a maximum fee for the required coursework.

An agencywide waiver provision is provided in 281—Chapter 4.

Notice of Intended Action was published in the August 15, 2007 Iowa Administrative Bulletin as ARC6155B. A public hearing was held on September 7, 2007, and public comments were allowed until September 7, 2007. No written or oral comments were received.

This amendment is identical to that published under Notice.

This amendment is intended to implement Iowa Code chapter 260C and 2007 Iowa Acts, Senate File 358.

The following amendment is adopted.

Amend **281—Chapter 21** by adopting the following new division:

DIVISION X
MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS

281—21.75(260C,82GA,SF358) Used motor vehicle dealer education program. An applicant for a license from the department of transportation as a used motor vehicle dealer shall complete a minimum of eight hours of prelicensing education program courses pursuant to 2007 Iowa Acts, Senate File 358, prior to submitting the application. The education program courses are provided by community colleges or by the Iowa Independent Automobile Dealers Association in conjunction with a community college. The fee for both the prelicensing education program courses and continuing education courses shall not exceed \$50 per contact hour of instruction, which shall include course materials and administrative costs.

This rule is intended to implement Iowa Code chapter 260C and 2007 Iowa Acts, Senate File 358.